



PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 401530

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Application of:

KITAMURA et al.

Art Unit: 2834

Application No. 10/030,986

Examiner: P. Cuevas

Filed: January 16, 2002

For: EXCITATION CONTROL DEVICE  
AND EXCITATION CONTROL  
METHOD

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2003, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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*AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS*

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The Examiner is requested to approve the changes to Figures 1-3, as shown on the attached replacement sheets of drawings. The three replacement sheets add “prior art” to Figures 1-3.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet(s)